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"Oriental styles have swept over Paris like a whirlwind," writes a correspondent of the New York World. The World's fashion news article given as a whole would form a very good description of the new style turbans we are showing, among which are the

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Another style that is not Oriental, but distinctly Parisian, is known as the Aeroplane Hat.

Malines, braids, straws, and a fancy braid cloth are the materials used, with broad velvet bands that serve as brims in many cases. The head sizes are small instead of the former immense sizes.

The "pert, up-standing ornament directly in the front is the feature of the Oriental styles, while another model with a close fitting brim, elongated at the back, effect made still more pronounced by a long bow standing out at the back, is easily recognized as the "Aeroplane."

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria-- Happenings in Society.

Mrs. P. L. McNeil, of Luray, Va., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Samuel J. Elliott on south Pitt street, has returned to her home.

Mr. R. D. Rittenour left yesterday on a business trip to Birmingham, Ala., for the Southern Railway.

Mr. Page Nelson from the University College of Medicine in Richmond, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. Johnson Downey, on Prince street.

Miss May Simpson, of Clarendon, spent the week-end with Miss Cora Duffey, on south Fairfax street.

Miss Rachel Snellings, of Boynton, Va., has returned to her home after visiting her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weisiger, in north Washington street.

Mr. Albert Johnson who spent the past six months with his mother, Mrs. Agnes Johnson, on north Washington street, left yesterday for New Mexico.

Miss Virginia Stuart Bouldin, who has been spending several weeks with her brother-in-law and sister, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Berryman Green, on Seminary Hill, was the guest last week of Miss Elizabeth M. Jamney, on Cameron street, and left Friday for Gloucester county, where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. Robley D. Brumback entertained a number of his friends at a moving picture party Saturday evening. Later they went to Mrs. Eva G. Mushback's apartment in the Fairfax where refreshments were served. Among Mr. Brumback's guests were Misses Clarence and Mary Snowden, Mary and Delia Phillips, Cora Cochran, Georgie French, Lisa Anderson, Christina Kemper, Harriett Douglas, Elizabeth Herbert, Messrs. James Sidney Douglas, jr., Windsor Snowden, Walter Foster, C. Page Waller, jr., Garrent Pitts, William Brooke Arthur Herbert, Wallace Lindsey, T. C. Smith, Milton French, Dr. Vivian Berry and Dr. J. Thornton Ashton.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bendheim, of 407 Prince street, had as their guests for the week end, Mr. and Mrs. D. Wudtzburger, of Baltimore, Md.

Miss Pauline Greider, of New York City, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Johnson, at their residence, 622 north Washington street, returned to her home today.

Mrs. M. B. Shrier and son, of Cleveland and Mrs. Conrad Johnson, at their residence in this city, are now the guests of friends in Washington.

ROBBERIES.

Three watches, valued at \$4, were stolen at an early hour this morning from the store window of J. Reece Caton, the news dealer. Nothing else was disturbed.

W. W. Simpson, lessee of the Braddock House, reports to the police that thieves Saturday night stole a chewing gum machine from in front of that place.

CHARGED WITH FIGHTING

One of the Belligerents Had His Nose Severely Bitten During the Affray

At a late hour Saturday night a fight occurred on Wolfe street, between Fairfax and Lee, between George Lancaster and Charles Dove, during which the former managed to get his teeth, into the proboscis of Dove, and did not relax his hold until he had seriously injured that organ.

The fight awakened most people residing on the square, and yesterday it was the principal theme of conversation in the neighborhood.

Officer Gill later arrested the belligerents and they appeared in the Police court this morning to answer the charge of disorderly conduct and fighting.

Dove appeared with strips of white cotton across his face and Lancaster with his shirt spattered with blood.

Dove in his defense stated that he had encountered Lancaster while in company with his (Dove's) sister after he had warned him of the consequences of being found in her company, and the fight followed when he accosted the couple.

The sister, who has two children, and who is about to procure a divorce from her husband, on the ground of desertion and who proposes to marry Lancaster, stated that she had requested the latter to accompany her home Saturday night, as she was afraid to proceed thither alone.

Lancaster asserted that Dove had struck him with a brick and he acted in self-defense. Dove denied this, and further stated that his sister, acting as an ally of Lancaster during the fight had caused him to come out second best.

Justice Caton fined the men \$5 each. Dove's sister paid the assessment against Lancaster from a roll of money she said belonged to him.

FINED TWENTY DOLLARS.

Fred Jones, Colored, Arrested For Promoting Policy.

A white man was arrested last week for conducting policy in the southwestern part of the city. He pleaded guilty to the charge, and upon assuring the Police Court that he would put up the shutters and go out of business, was released upon paying the minimum fine of \$20.

There was an echo of the case in the Police Court this morning. Fred Jones, colored, was placed in the dock after having been arrested by Chief Goods and Sergeant Wilkinson.

When taken into custody, a number of policy slips (rows of figures) were found upon the prisoner upon his return from a trip to Washington.

Jones was slow of speech when interrogated by Justice Caton, and managed to say he formerly engaged in the policy business. He was fined \$20.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

The annual report of St. Mary's Catholic Church yesterday was read this morning at the second mass at that church by Rt. Rev. H. J. Cutler, pastor. The report showed the affairs of the church to be in prosperous condition financially. Rev. Father Cutler congratulated the congregation on the showing made during the year.

JUDGE GORDON'S DECISION

Alexandrians Regret the Outcome of the Annexation Proceedings

The opinion of Judge Bennett T. Gordon, of Nelson, dismissing the suit of this city against the counties of Alexandria and Fairfax for the absorption of adjoining territory and refusing to give the city any claimed by it, published in full in the Gazette on Saturday, was read and reread by thousands. The decision was a surprise to those favoring annexation as well as to those who had combatted the movement, and it was hard for many to understand why certain sections against which the city has built—especially to the south and southwest of the city—should have been denied.

The bitterest opponents of the annexation movement believed that at least a portion of the territory asked for would be granted. The Union Station, West End and Rosemont, depended entirely on Alexandria for fire and police protection and also secure their gas, water and electricity from the city's plants. Practically all of the residents of the two suburbs are former Alexandrians who have moved from within the city limits, as they were unable to purchase property in town upon which they could erect modern residences.

No decision has been rendered by the officials of the city as to their future plans in the case. Under the law the city has the right to appeal the case to the Supreme Court of Virginia, and steps in this direction were taken yesterday, when Judge Gordon granted its attorney thirty days' time in which to formulate the appeal.

One of the most serious results of Judge Gordon's decision will be the delay in the erection of the new high school building. So confident were the members of the City Council and the school board that they would secure the territory asked for in the annexation proceedings that they purchased, about a year ago, seven acres of land, the greater part of which lies outside of the city limits, upon which it was the intention to erect the new high school building. Plans have already been prepared for the \$40,000 for its construction is now pending in council.

The decision of Judge Gordon will make it necessary for the city to sell the property and secure another location for the school building. There is said to be no available lot within the present limits and it is believed that the authorities will find great difficulty in securing a suitable site.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of JOHN E. WELSCH, who departed this life six years ago yesterday, January, 19, 1907.

God only knows when today six years How my heart was filled with pain, When He called away my son, so dear, Who on earth I shall not see again. But when the Almighty calls my name And I go to my Heavenly home, Then my son and I shall meet again. Never more from each other to roam. Gone but not forgotten.

—BY HIS MOTHER.

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